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To: Department of Justice (Microsoft Settlement)

I am outraged at AOL Time Warner for suing Microsoft because they purchased an inferior system and find it cannot perform on a standard with Microsoft equipment. Innovate not Litigate should be their guidance. Microsoft leads our nation and the world and is not appreciated by the Justice Department that continues to honor groundless and frivolous claims of competing companies, and Attorney Generals of states trying to improperly help and prop up weaker companies domiciled in their states.

We once held AOL stock but sold it due to the embarrassment of hearing complaints from friends and workers who had AOL as their Internet provider. AOL puts cookies, stops, blockages and all number of impediments in their system to block or diminish competitors from gaining access to AOL customers. People who quit AOL must have their computers professionally purged of these illegal roadblocks at considerable expense to the customer. Dismiss the suit against Microsoft as frivolous and without merit and direct your attention to AOL's un ethical practices. Marvin L Matson Tacoma WA

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